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The Advantages of Bilingual Education

with **Dr. Hywel Lewis**, University of Wales

Free lecture followed by Q&A for parents



**Conradh
na Gaeilge**

Gaelscoileanna

The Longford Arms Hotel

Wednesday, **March 2nd** at **8.00pm**

Free admission, fáilte roimh chách

The Advantages of Bilingual Education

Parents and anyone with an interest in education, language and children's development are invited to come along to this free public lecture. The guest speaker on the night will be Dr. Hywel Lewis, renowned expert on the subject of the cognitive benefits of bilingual education; how children gain much more than a new language and become more capable, confident learners in a bilingual environment. The talk will be followed by a Q&A session with a panel which will include Yvonne Ní Mhurchú, principal of Gaelscoil Longfoirt, and parents will be given the opportunity to ask any questions they might have about what it means to send a child to a Gaelscoil. Will they understand the teacher? Will parents be able to help with their homework? Will the children be able to read as well in English? Join us for a friendly and open discussion with an internationally-recognised expert in the field. Further information is available on www.gaelscoileanna.ie or by contacting Clare on 01 8535193. This event is being organised by Gaelscoileanna Teo. and Conradh na Gaeilge to promote awareness of Irish-medium education.

Buntáistí an Oideachais Dátheangaigh

Tá fáilte roimh thuismitheoirí agus éinne gur suim leo cúrsaí oideachais, teanga agus forbairt an pháiste freastal ar an léacht phoiblí seo. Beidh an Dr. Hywel Lewis mar aoichainteoir ar an oíche agus is saineolaí é ar na buntáistí cognaíochta a thugann an t-oideachas dátheangach do pháistí; go ngnóthaíonn páistí i bhfad níos mó ná cumas teanga agus go mbíonn siad ina bhfoghlaimoirí níos cumasaí agus níos muiníní i dtimpeallacht dhátheangach. Leanfar an chaint le seisiún ceisteanna agus freagraí do thuismitheoirí le deis a thabhairt dóibh ceisteanna a chur ar phainéal, ar a mbeidh Yvonne Ní Mhurchú, príomhoide Ghaelscoil Longfoirt, maidir le haon ní a bhaineann le do pháiste a chur chuig scoil lán-Ghaeilge. An dtuigfidh siad an múinteoir? An mbeidh na tuismitheoirí in ann cabhrú leis an obair baile? An mbeidh na páistí in ann léamh i mBéarla? Bígí linn le haghaidh comhrá fáilteach agus oscailte le saineolaí aitheanta go hidirnáisiúnta ar an ábhar seo. Tá tuilleadh eolais ar fáil ach teagmháil a dhéanamh le Clare ar 01 8535193. Tá an t-imeacht seo á eagrú ag Gaelscoileanna Teo. agus Conradh na Gaeilge le feasacht a ardú maidir le hoideachas lán-Ghaeilge.